

Knightline 3.16.20

Calendar of Events

Visit our homepage calendar for important dates or **click here** to view the entire calendar.

News and Announcements

• Office Hours,communication, and General Update. Beginning Tuesday, March 16, the main office will be open from 8:00 AM-1:00 PM. It is preferred that any questions or help needed be communicated via email or by phone. After 1:00 PM, calls will be forwarded to each staff member's home phone. Please do not call after 4:00 PM unless it is urgent. When you need to communicate with teachers, please do so through your Canvas account. However, please remember that teachers are teaching or otherwise engaged with teaching/tutoring tasks from 8:00-1:30 daily. Please allow 24 hours for a response. If at any time you need assistance, have concerns or questions, please reach out to any staff member. We will do our best to help you.

This is unchartered waters, but we are committed to continuing to educate your students... as changes happen in the weeks to come throughout the United States, that goal will not change. To paraphrase a quote by Paul Vasileff (Young Australian of the Year), we will set our goals in concrete and our plans in sand.... We will adjust when needed and work together to do our very best to serve our students.

• **Mid-Term Exam Update.** Exam Dates have been altered, and teachers have the option of giving a mid-term exam/project. Please see below:

Exam Dates

Tuesday, March 24, blocks 3 and 4 (same time as the DLD schedule)
Wednesday, March 25; blocks 1 and 2 (same time as the DLD schedule)
There is a plan for resource students who need extended time. Your students will be informed of each teacher's plan this week.

The end of term has been extended to Wednesday, March 25.

- This week, students will be receiving the Curriculum Guide for the 2020-21 school year. They will also be receiving information from their counselors regarding scheduling requests for the coming year. Counselors will be available via email for any questions that you may have (Dan Batkin and Candice Strickland)
- **Re-enrollment for 20-21 is still open!** If you need assistance with online re-enrollment or filling out your contract, please contact **Mrs. LeMaster** at 757-596-7247 ext.106.

- **EF Trip to Italy and Greece.** If you missed our informational meeting, but are still interested in joining us, you can get more information by clicking the **link**. If you have any questions email **Mrs. Strickland**.
 - ***Please note, this is not a PCHS sponsored trip***
- The calendar for the 2020-2021 school year is here! View the calendar at www.peninsulacatholic.org. While this is a tentative calendar, the first and last day of school, exam dates, vacation dates (Christmas and Easter); Kairos, and graduation (Memorial Day Weekend this year!) are set in stone! Please review these dates and ensure your vacation planning works with these dates. Please remember that absences for vacation that exceed one day will not be excused.

Auction Updates

• The Great Gatsby Event

Our Great Gatsby Event has been postponed until Saturday, October 17, 2020. All sponsorship and registration information will be transferred to the new date. The Development Office will be following up in the coming weeks.

A special thanks to all the volunteers who helped to get this event together and quickly shifted to a new date on Friday for a smooth transition. Thank you.

The Great Big Raffle will take place as a Facebook Live event after we return from spring break, the week of April 20. If you or your guests were planning to purchase tickets at our event, they are still available on the website by clicking this **link**. As tickets are purchased online, we will enter them into the raffle. Please note, the payment portal is secure.

A new online auction will take place April 20-30, 2020. It will feature special items that would have been part of our event. Stay tuned for more information coming your way soon.

Home and School

We have a list of volunteer and donating opportunities available below. Please take a look to see where and if you can help in the many ways we need.

• After Prom Wish List

This Wish List is for gift cards and raffle prizes for the juniors/seniors attending After Prom this year. This gives parents an opportunity to look and decide if/what they would like to donate before After Prom with pre-approved gift choices. Please follow this **link** for gift ideas.

• After Prom Volunteer List

Being a volunteer at After Prom earns you **DOUBLE** the hours. Please follow this **link** for the After Prom volunteer opportunities available.

• After Prom Food Helpers

If you are interested in helping prepare (and drop off) a few finger food choices that the

juniors/seniors chose for this years After Prom snacks, please contact **Gena Petersen** for specific details.

Book Sale Committee

Volunteers are needed to form a team to spearhead the annual HSA Book Sale. Jackie Yau, the current Book Sale coordinator, is available to answer any inquiries about this new team. During the next few months, Jackie will meet periodically to slowly prepare this team to run the Book Sale. Please reach out to **Jackie Yau** or at any HSA meeting if interested. **PLEASE NOTE:** The Book Sale is the HSA's **ONLY** fundraiser, and we need a team of individuals who can pull it all together **with many available volunteers at your side.** The money raised from the Book Sale goes towards ALL the years events and activities that the HSA sponsors for the students, teachers, staff, faculty, and parents.

New Treasurer

A new Treasurer - in training - will be able to work with Jackie Yau until the end of the school year so the transition from one Treasurer to another would be seamless. Since the New Treasurer position was not filled by the March HSA meeting, the Board will follow through with interested individuals as the year progresses. Once an inquiry and acceptance is made, a Board vote will take place and a final approval will be made by the Principal for a new Treasurer. Please contact **Gena Petersen** with any inquiries.

• HSA Meeting Friendly Reminder

Our next HSA meeting is **Thursday**, **April 9th**, **2020**, **at 5:30 pm** in the PC library. We hope to see you there!

Volunteer Opportunities

• The PC Booster Club is looking for parents to become active volunteers as concession stand and floor worker staff at Thursday night Bingo sessions at the Knights of Columbus. Please email Will Robertson to sign up.

Important Note

The Knights of Columbus #5480 Bingo night is suspended for March, 19, 2020 and March, 26, 2020.